# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



## **FISCAL NOTE**

## SB 2011 - HB 2597

March 11, 2016

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Exempts booking or processing facilities from conforming to the standards established by the Tennessee Corrections Institute pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 41-4-140 when used by a municipal police department for the purposes of interviewing, obtaining fingerprints, photographing defendants, completing arrest reports, and permitting defendants to post bond within two hours of being detained at the facility and when a monitored and secure room is used by general sessions court to review and hold prisoners brought from the county jail or workhouse for the purpose or arraignment, preliminary hearings, or other hearings and adjudications conducted during the daily sessions court schedule.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

### Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 41-7-103(4), the Tennessee Corrections Institute (TCI) has the power and duty to inspect all penal institutions, jails, workhouses, or other local correctional facilities in accordance with Tenn. Code Ann. § 41-4-140.
- According to the TCI, the Institute does not have oversight of court holding facilities.
- According to the TCI, the Institute currently inspects 12 municipal police departments annually.
- Any impact to state and local government resulting from the exemption of municipal facilities meeting the requirements outlined in the bill from conforming to the standards established by the TCI is estimated to be not significant.

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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